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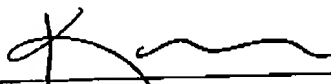
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AMENDMENT AFTER FIRST OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(c)

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Dear Sir:

In response to the First Office Action of October 9, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks. The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.17 to grant a one (1) month extension of time for processing.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.